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PRODUCING SAME

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Examiner : KARIN M. REICHE

Commissioner for Patents Arlington, VA 22202

## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

Date:

January 22, 2008

The shortened statutory period for responding to the August 22, 2007 Final Office Action ended on November 22, 2007. Accordingly, a petition for a two-month extension of time and an RCE are submitted concurrently herewith. With this extension, application remains pending through January 22, 2008. Please consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this Paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 3 of this Paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

## **CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8**

I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being transmitted to the USPTO via the electronic filing system in accordance with 37 CFR 1.6(a)(4)

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